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TO : EIC Secretariat

FROM : EIC Subcommittee on Population and Manpower

SUBJECT: Annual Report of the Subcommittee on Population  
and Manpower for Fiscal Year 1962

A. Activities of the Subcommittee During Fiscal Year.

1. Review of the Intelligence Product in the Subcommittee's  
Field of Competence.

At a meeting on 10 April 1962, the Subcommittee reviewed the tentative research plans of member agencies for FY 1963. This review provided the members of the Subcommittee with an opportunity to evaluate the progress being made to meet priority deficiencies of research and to evaluate the state of intelligence in the Subcommittee's field of competence.

2. Research and Collection Deficiencies.

a. Research Deficiencies.

The Subcommittee statement of Priority Deficiencies of Research was reviewed and updated by the Subcommittee in FY 1960. No amendments to this statement are under consideration by the Subcommittee at this time.

A detailed progress report on Priority Deficiencies of Research was appended to the annual report of the Subcommittee for FY 1961. In general, the research efforts of member agencies to meet these critical deficiencies are continuing in the direction indicated in that report.

b. Collection Deficiencies.

A statement of Priority Deficiencies of Collection was forwarded by the Subcommittee to the EIC in 1960. No changes in this statement are under consideration by the Subcommittee at this time.

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3. Review of Substantive Papers.

No substantive papers were reviewed.

4. Review of Proposals for External Research.

No proposal for new external research was submitted to the Subcommittee during the year.

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5. Maintenance of Agreed Basic Statistics.

For the third consecutive year, the Subcommittee published a set of agreed population estimates for countries of the Sino-Soviet Bloc in EIC-SR5-S2. Population of the Countries of the Sino-Soviet Bloc, Selected Years, 1938-80, April 1962.

At the meeting on 10 April, the Subcommittee reviewed a draft of this publication prepared by the Foreign Manpower Research Office of the Bureau of Census in cooperation with CIA. This draft was an updated version of a similar report published by the Subcommittee in 1960 and 1961. It was forwarded for publication after being revised in accordance with suggestions made by members of the Subcommittee.

6. Projects Undertaken at the Request of the EIC or Proposed to the EIC.

No such projects were undertaken or proposed.

7. Intelligence Research Techniques.

The Subcommittee did not discuss intelligence research techniques during the year.

8. Special Coordinating Functions of the Subcommittee.

No special coordinating functions were undertaken during FY 1962.

9. Evaluation of the Role of the Subcommittee.

The Subcommittee believes that its activities provide a useful means for coordinating the research on population and manpower within the intelligence community and for eliminating duplication of effort.

The Subcommittee also serves a useful function in acquainting its members and their agencies with research problems, techniques, and findings on problems of mutual concern.

B. Future Program of the Subcommittee.

The Subcommittee plans to engage in the following major activities during FY 1963:

1. To review the basic population statistics published by the Subcommittee in the light of new information.
2. To continue the annual review of agency research problems and external research proposals, in order to avoid duplication of effort.
3. If appropriate, to hear and comment upon the more important substantive reports prepared by member agencies.

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